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Applicant : Kasai, Hiroshi
App. No : 10/507,277
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For : PURIFICATION METHOD FOR
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GUANINE NUCLEOSIDE,
MEASURING METHOD THEREFOR,
AND ANALYZER FOR
PERFORMING SUCH
Examiner : Krishnan, G.
Art Unit : 1623

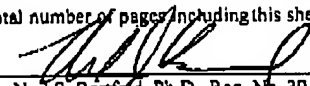
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

(X) Response to Restriction Requirement in 2 pages.

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FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
1 Month Extension	1.17(a)(1)	1251 (\$120)		\$120
			TOTAL FEE DUE	\$120

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

(X) Charge \$120 to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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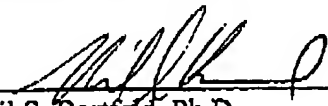
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- (X) Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.



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Neil S. Bartfeld, Ph.D., Reg. No. 39,901**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 16, 2006, Applicant hereby elects Invention I, Claims 1-6, drawn to a method of purification of guanosine nucleosides, without traverse. Applicant reserves the right to pursue the nonelected claims in a divisional application.


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Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: April 10, 2006

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